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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

## In the Claims:

- 1. (Currently Amended) Method for electronically storing, retrieving and/or modifying records using a computer system comprising a display unit, an input unit, a memory unit and a processing unit, and involving at least one recorded catalogue of recommended actions, and for sequentially steering a process of interrelated actions from said at least one recorded catalogue of recommended actions, wherein said at least one recorded catalogue of recommended actions comprises hierarchised sequences of alternative actions, wherein said actions comprise sequential procedure steps and wherein for each of said steps the method generates electronic evaluation forms hierarchically organized as forms and subforms, wherein said evaluation forms comprise a list of one or more selected from the group comprising of recommended actions, information-input requests, and/or decision-requests and selection algorithms, and wherein said generation of evaluation forms is carried out in function of said hierarchised sequences of alternative actions, and in function of the past history of all alternative actions so as to enable transfer of a group of evaluation forms and subforms in one operation into one file.
- 2. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 1, wherein said at least one recorded catalogue of recommended actions comprises associated electronic selection algorithms in respect of the hierarchised sequences of alternative actions.
- 3. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 2, wherein said selection algorithms are integrated in said electronic forms.

Claim 4 (Cancelled).

- 5. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 1, wherein said evaluation form comprises information from the records relevant for any decision-request involved in said evaluation form.
- 6. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 1, wherein a record of information entered and used is stored in said memory unit.
- 7. (Currently Amended) Method according to claim 1, wherein a record of the information and actions entered and used is stored in the memory unit for the purpose of measurement of the one

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or more selected fro the group comprising of effectivity, and/or efficiency of effects, and/or results of the procedure.

- 8. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 1, wherein the method involves a supervising organization for the purpose of quality control and quality improvement of the method.
- 9. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 1, wherein the method allows for the updating of the recorded catalogue(s) of recommended actions.
- 10. (Currently Amended) Method according to claims 7, wherein said supervising organisation evaluates the one or more selected from the group comprising of effectivity and/or, efficiency of effects, and/or results based on said records of information and actions used/entered, stored during use of the method, and up-dates the recorded catalogue(s) of recommended actions in function of said evaluation.

## Claim 11 (Cancelled).

- 12. (Currently Amended) Computer system for electronically storing, retrieving and/or modifying records and for sequentially steering interrelated actions in respect of said records, comprising a display unit, an input unit, a memory unit and a processing unit, wherein said memory unit of the computer system comprises at least one recorded catalogue of recommended actions involving hierarchised sequences of alternative actions, and wherein said processing unit of the computer system is programmed to generate electronic forms, hierarchically organized as forms and subforms, comprising a list of one or more selected from the group comprising of recommended actions, information-input requests, and/or decision-requests and selection algorithms, in function of said hierarchised sequences of alternative actions of said catalogue of recommended actions, and in function of the past history of all alternative actions, so as to enable transfer of a group of evaluation forms and subforms in one operation into a file.
- 13. (Previously Presented) Computer system according to claim 12, wherein said at least one recorded catalogue of recommended actions in the memory unit of the computer system comprises associated electronic selection algorithms in respect of the hierarchised sequences of alternative actions.

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14. (Previously Presented) Computer system according to any one of claim 13, wherein the processing unit of the computer system is programmed to integrate said selection algorithms into said generated electronic forms.

Claim 15 (Cancelled).

16. (Previously Presented) Computer system according to claim 15, wherein the processing unit of the computer system is programmed to integrate into the evaluation form information from the records which is relevant for any decision-request involved in said evaluation form.

17. (Previously Presented) Computer system according to claim 12, wherein the processing unit of the computer system is programmed to store a record of the information entered and actions used into the memory unit of the computer system.